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Ex parte: KENT MALMGREN, SHABIRA ABBAS, BENGT WIDBERG, ASA OSTMAN AND JEANETTE ANNERGREN

Application 09/651,130

ORDER RETURNING UNDOCKETED APPEAL TO EXAMINER

This application was received electronically at the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on December 31, 2007. A review of the application has revealed that the application is not ready for docketing as an appeal. Accordingly, the application is herewith being electronically returned to the examiner. The matter requiring attention prior to docketing is identified below:

Upon examination of the Image File Wrapper (IFW), a copy of the Examiner's Answer mailed August 6, 2007 was not found.

Accordingly, it is

ORDERED that the application is returned to the examiner to:

- 1) locate a copy of the missing Examiner's Answer and have a complete copy scanned into the IFW; and
- 2) for such further action as may be appropriate.

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